

family matters

# 2012 ANNUAL REPORT





### Welcome to our 2012 Annual Report: "Family Matters."

To help us understand our life together in Christ, the Bible uses many analogies: a flock, a bride, a field, and a building.<sup>1</sup> Perhaps the most significant is the family, because those who believe in Jesus are adopted into God's family as His dear children.<sup>2</sup>

When God looked for a man with whom to make His covenant, He chose Abraham. He promised to make Abraham the "father of many nations,"<sup>3</sup> and He had a specific goal in mind: "For I have chosen him, so that he will direct his children and his household after him to

keep the way of the Lord by doing what is right and just."4

Though we may not be part of Abraham's biological family, all of us who believe in Christ are part of his faith family and as such have been grafted into his family tree.<sup>5</sup> Our Father wants us to enjoy the positive benefits of life in a family.

So, in this year's annual report, we celebrate New Life's commitment to family, both the biological family and the family of faith. As you read, I hope you will be encouraged in your own family relationships.

Pastor Ron Salsbury

<sup>5</sup> Romans 11:17-21

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 1 Peter 5:2; 2 Corinthians 11:2; 1 Corinthians 3:9; 1 Peter 2:5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Galatians 6:10; Ephesians 1:5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Genesis 17:5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Genesis 18:19

# worship

When Melanie Keenan agreed to provide short children's sketches for the Saturday night "Family Service," little did she realize what would happen. While the family emphasis of the service shifted, the drama ministry grew into "Kids Time Drama."

A small group of 6 became a team of 53 men, women and children sharing their hearts and lives. They met weekly, prayed for God's direction, and eventually wrote and performed a production about issues that kids deal with in school: "Back to School: Teachers, Bullies, Friends and God." "This has given my family a purpose to serve the Lord together. Chelsea, Modest, and Jacqueline found a place to reach back to the younger generations while learning from the generations before them."

- Melanie Keenan

#### ALLOCATION

8.<u>9%</u>

#### ACCOMPLISHMENTS

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SERMON SERIES: The Power of God's Promises Choosing Joy (Philippians) Marks of the Master Overcoming the Darkness The Story When the Kingdom Comes

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Greg & Lisa's experience with the Visionary Parenting class at New Life not only helped them gain an understanding of their biblical role as parents, but it also strengthened their marriage.

"Understanding relevant Scriptures enabled us to be spiritually transforming parents for our children. Applying it to our family began to produce fruit almost immediately."

We've all heard the question asked about why there is no guidebook for raising children. Taking the Visionary Parenting class made us realize that the real parenting guidebook is His book. We highly recommend taking this class to any parents.

- Greg & Lisa Toepfer

ALLOCATION



#### **ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

VISIONARY PARENTING FAMILY CAMP KIDSTUF FUN DAYS OF SUMMER FAMILY FALL FESTIVAL In addition to weekend instruction in Sunday School, children receive a daily family Bible study called "God Time" to take home and complete with their parents. Once a month, parents and kids together enjoy KidStuf: a fast-paced, zany, multi-media program of music, comedy, drama, and storytelling. youth

The New Life Youth Group provides many opportunities to learn and serve. One meaningful experience of 2012 was the Bahamas Mission Trip.

The group decided to apply Romans 12 every day of the trip, especially 12:9, **"Don't just pretend to love others. Really love them. Hate what is wrong. Hold tightly to what is good. Love each other with genuine affection, and take delight in honoring each other."** Each day that verse came to life as the youth served in the orphanage, loved the children through Vacation Bible School and visited an AIDS camp for women.



"Growing a relationship with the Lord is one of the best things a teenage girl can say about her high school years. The

experiences in my youth group 'family' have helped build my faith to the point where I feel like I can accomplish anything with the love and help from my Savior."

- Jennifer Haydon, age 19

Our regular ministry to youth involves weekend worship, small group Bible studies, and a presence of our staff on campus every week.



ALLOCATION



#### ACCOMPLISHMENTS

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After years of seeking God through financial instability, a child's drug addiction and a husband battling alcohol, Debbie saw God moving on her family's behalf. Her daughter attended Teen Challenge, became a counselor, and was married. Sadly, Deb's husband died from liver disease the week after the birth of their granddaughter. Yet Debbie knew God was with her. Through her Tuesday Night Women's Bible Study, He provided love, support, prayer and sisterhood that she needed to face those difficult days.

"I am grateful beyond words for the presence of Jesus in my life... My church and especially my ladies small group became my family who cared for me through this very difficult time."

Deb is now a small group leader in the Tuesday ladies Bible study.

- Debbie (Deb) DiBianca



Our adult ministries presents a network of classes, small groups, and events all designed to help people learn the ways of God. Following Jesus makes men better husbands and fathers, women better wives and mothers, and strengthens all of our extended family relationships whether in the biological or faith family.

#### ALLOCATION



#### ACCOMPLISHMENTS

60 ACTIVE LIFE GROUPS SPANISH LIFE GROUP

CLASSES: Logos Foundations Financial Peace University Seven Pillars of Health Total Money Makeover Grandparenting

# care

It was two months after her husband of 46 years had died. She was visiting with her oncologist and the grief hit her again. As tears coursed down her cheeks, he gently said, "I know just the place for you." That's how Barbara came to GriefShare. She attended regularly, and while she did not receive a "cure" for the pain of her loss, Barbara received comfort and tools to help her through her grief.

> 'The caring acceptance immediately put me at ease and the enriching conversations helped me heal."

While the Lord is the only one who can give lasting comfort over the loss of a loved one, Barbara is continually grateful for the ministry at New Life!

– Barbara (Name changed for privacy)

#### ALLOCATION



#### ACCOMPLISHMENTS

JOURNEY OF HOPE CONFERENCE

The New Life Care Center provides professional counseling, support groups, and pastoral care to people from New Life and the surrounding community. Whether it is a family on the brink of divorce or dealing with a recent loss, people are there to help. The Care Center offers groups for those recovering from divorce or grief, and for those struggling with addictions, abuse and illness.

#### **ALLOCATION**

11.8%

#### ACCOMPLISHMENTS

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS DAY 2 GET ON THE BUS 435 CRISIS CARE KITS 277 BLANKETS DISTRIBUTED 729 DOLLS DISTRIBUTED BUCKS FOR BLESSING

# missions

Whether it is across the street or around the world, sharing new life in Jesus can transform families. New Life's network of ministries, like Captive Hearts who help women reshape their lives after prison locally, or "Prince of Peace School" in India, where disadvantaged children receive an education their parents could never provide, seek to strengthen families for Christ.

Thirty two years ago Moses Paulose arrived in Rameswarm with his pregnant wife, two small children, fifteen cents and an unshakable conviction that he had been summoned to that place by his Maker to bring light and hope, healing and restoration to millions of suffering searchers.

After opening a school in 1998, sons Billy and Israel were moved to open a second school in 2006, this one was for the poorest of children. The crush of India's caste system gave families no hope and barred thousands of children from education and any escape from poverty. New Life's financial gifts made possible the purchase of land and construction of a school. With a mandate unique in Indian culture, as a school reserved for poorest of families, everything at the Prince of Peace School is offered at no cost.

Each year local families flock to enrollment looking for the only chance their children have for education. Current enrollment is over a thousand, with another thousand on the waiting list, pending completion of construction. New Life's Church family has touched many families in India with the love of our Lord Jesus Christ!

ministry resources

Every Wednesday, a group of men and women gather in the morning for prayer and then disburse to various parts of our campus to perform volunteer maintenance work. The "King's Crew" is much more than a work force; in many ways it is a family because the participants develop significant bonds.

> King's Crew members Tom Nugent and Bob Couse are now great friends and brothers in Christ.

Ted says, "Kings Crew was my way to get involved with

church and I have formed really close Christian friends over the past few years. While we work, we have open discussions about politics, moral values, sports and discuss personal experience with each other. I have even learned to forgive them for not playing golf!

Bob explains, "This is the finest group of people I have ever had the pleasure of working with and I consider them personal friends. If anyone is in need, the crew comes together to pray and encourage each other. You can count on them in faith."

King's Crew began 15 years ago under the direction of Ken Nordin. We honor his legacy and vision of serving his church family.

#### ALLOCATION



#### ACCOMPLISHMENTS

#### PROPERTY

RENOVATE ROOM LC1 LOBBY TABLE LIGHTING/ SIGNAGE UPGRADE RENOVATE THE LIFE CENTER STAGE WORSHIP CENTER VIDEO PROJECTORS

#### FINANCE

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**CONVERSION OF THE 401K PROGRAM** 

#### COMMUNICATIONS

LIFELINE E-NEWSLETTER "DEEP AND WIDE" ANNUAL REPORT

Every family needs a place to live and resources to support its activities. Just like paying the bills and mowing the lawn are important to a household, so they are important to a church family. Our ministry resources team is responsible for taking care of our church family facilities and finances.

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

JUNE 30, 2012

ASSETS	3
Current Assets	\$141,077
Non-Current Investments	\$615,962
Property and Equipment	\$9,737,393
TOTAL ASSETS	\$10,494,432
LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS	
Current Liabilities	\$117,269
Net Assets	1/2
Net Investment in Property & Equipment	\$9,737,393
Temporarily Restricted	\$50,694
Unrestricted	ALC ALC AND THE
Retained Program Revenue	\$3,664
Emergency Operating Reserve	\$275,000
Capital Reserve	\$161,921
New Capital Projects	\$48,919
Designated Expenditures	\$6,846
Undesignated	\$92,726
Total Net Assets	\$10,377,163
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TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS

\$10,494,432

# STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

JUNE 30, 2012

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INCOME	ACTUAL	BUDGET	DIFFERENCE	PERCENT
General Church Receipts	\$3,196,963	\$3,225,000	-\$28,037	99.1%
Other Church Receipts	\$47,667			
Total Income	\$3,244,630	\$3,225,000	\$19,630	100.6%
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EXPENSE (1)		a section of	-	-
Program Services	<b>#242 542</b>	<b>#</b> 240 502	tr oco	00.49
Pastoral Leadership (2)	\$313,513	\$318,582	-\$5,069	98.4%
Worship Arts	\$286,101	\$305,491	-\$19,390	93.7%
Adults	\$176,063	\$207,771	-\$31,708	84.7%
Care	\$313,840	\$320,721	-\$6,881	97.9%
Students	\$372,467	\$347,793	\$24,674	107.1%
Children	\$278,093	\$297,933	-\$19,840	93.3%
Missions	\$355,223	\$358,656	-\$3,433	99.0%
Total Program Services	\$2,095,300	\$2,156,947	-\$61,647	97.1%
Summer Commission				
Support Services	¢ 400 000	A 477 000	¢4,220	100.07
Plant Operations	\$482,280	\$477,960	\$4,320	100.9%
General and Admissions	\$599,600	\$590,093	\$9,507	101.6%
Total Support Services	\$1,081,880	\$1,068,053	\$13,827	101.3%
TOTAL OPERATIONAL EXPENSE	62 477 490	\$2 2EE 000	\$47,820	98.5%
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INCOME-EXPENSES	\$67,450			
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CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	\$147,043	\$157,100	-\$10,057	93.6%
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Revenue	\$313,830		· · · · ·	
Expenses	\$277,068			1.25%

1 Net expense: Total expenses offset by \$343,684 program revenue

**NET INCOME** 

2 Pastoral Leadership includes the Senior and Executive Pastors, leadership development and community outreach

\$36,762

## TRENDS







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